Transactions by Hypothecation deeds.

243. *MR. K. P. KRISHNA MENON (*Parur*): Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the number of new transactions effected by hypothecation deeds registered till the end of Karkatakam 1111 from the date on which the Agriculturists' Relief Bill was forwarded to the Select Committee ;

(*b*) the total amount paid under the deeds registered ;

(*c*) whether the deeds were executed as a security for the old unsecured debts ; and

(*d*) if so, the number and the amount of such deeds ?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*) : (*a*) 36,880.

(*b*) Rs. 62,46,442.

(*c*) Some were such deeds.

(*d*) 12,516.

Rs. 24,47,246.

MR. PACODE A. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Vilavankod*) : May I know whether the amount given in the answer represents cash payment ?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*) : That is the amount given in the documemt.

MR. PACODE A. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Vilavankod*) : I am asking about the amounts mentioned in the document. May I know whether it represents the cash payment or anything else ?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*) : I claim notice.

Police Inspectors, Excise Inspectors and Sub-Registrars.

244. *MR. G. NILAKANTAN (*Nominated*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the number of Police Inspectors, Excise Inspectors and Sub-Registrars, by caste, in the Police, Excise and the Registration Departments respectively ; and

(*b*) the number of applicants for the above posts, by caste, from the backward and depressed classes ?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*) : (*a*) A *statement giving the required information is laid on the table.

(*b*) As the period during which the applications were received has not been specified, it is not possible to furnish the answer.

MR. G. NILAKANTAN (*Nominated*) : May I know from the member why nobody was appointed from among the members of the Kammala community either as Police Inspector or Excise Inspector ?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*) : Probably there were no suitable candidates among the applicants.

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